

# Langhorne

## Both Teams Place Unbeaten Records On Line Saturday

### Ardis May Start in Langhorne Backfield

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Two unbeaten small school football teams battle for supremacy on Langhorne's Playwick Field this Saturday afternoon when the Redskins face St. Francis Indus-

#### Probable Starting Lineup

Langhorne		St. Francis
Squyres	LE	McGrath
Rausch	LT	Busch
Kaleda	LG	Hammond
R. Lukens	C	McQuillen
Taylor	RG	Rodgers
Haman	RT	Silas
Adair	RE	J. Breslin
Caldwell	QB	Cupo
Ardis	LH	Larrow
Schneider	RH	Oppold
J. Lukens	FB	Goff

Langhorne substitutes—Haines, Frutchey, Hibbert, Shapcott, McMath, Martindale, Fizzano, Harding, Richter, Lewis, Knox, Tucker, Wheeler, Hitchner, Sarkissin, Bonham, Haas, Keller, Farrell, Romberger, Noer.

trial School of Eddington. Kick-off will take place at 2:30 p. m.

St. Francis has registered wins over Bordentown Manual Training Institute twice by 7-0 and 6-0 scores and last Thursday decisively defeated Fallsington, 18-0. Langhorne, idle last week, has beaten Fallsington, 12-0, and George School, 27-6.

The light but scrappy St. Francis line that has been unscored upon to date will present the strongest opposition of the season thus far for the locals. However, although the Eddington team packs a punch, it is not expected to offer the calibre of competition that conference foes later in the season will place on the line.

Coach Johnny Messics plans no changes in the Redskins lineup and will send a backfield composed of Ken Caldwell at quarterback, Wayne Schneider and "Chick" Ardis at halfbacks and Captain Joe Lukens at fullback at Brother Benilde's charges. Other backs expected to see action are Russ Haines, Noer and Hibbard.

#### Halfbacks Running Nicely

So far Lukens and Schneider have been pacing the attack for Langhorne. Both have proved to be fine breakaway runners and are quick to spot openings. They have speed, are good ball handlers and work nicely together. Schneider has been punting capably and passing spot heaves accurately.

Ardis retains his starting berth to add more power to the attack. He is the fastest man in the backfield and can pick up yardage on end arounds when the opposition begins to get tight on the defense.

Russ Haines, however, is not regarded as a reserve back. The powerful South Langhorne lad, who scales about 169 pounds, is as durable as any back in the league and his fiery competitive instincts rate him on par with any runner on the Redskin squad.

#### Saints Worthy Foe

St. Francis will be a worthy foe for Langhorne. Their unscored upon record bespeaks of outstanding defensive work. Fallsington made only one first down against them last week.

In open field running, the Saints believe they have the equal of Lukens and Schneider in halfbacks Don Oppold and Al Larrow. Marlo Cuppo, however, leads the eleven and calls plays.

Langhorne may feel the effects of last week's idleness, when, in the absence of Coach Messics, a game was not scheduled. However, they have been practicing hard this week and are in top physical shape for the fray.

St. Francis will offer much resistance and is better than any club

# Langhorne Registers Win Over Falls

## 'Inky' Schnieder Scores Winning Touchdown in Last Second of Play

Trailing 13-0 at the end of the first half, Langhorne High surged ahead in the last two periods to defeat Fallsington 19-13 in a return engagement grid contest, here, last Saturday.

In the first half the Falls team passed and ran all over the stunned Redskins. Phil DiNatie, speedy Falls' quarterback, tallied twice on passes from Norman White. White plunged through center for the extra point.

#### Lukens Runs 53 Yards

The second half was a complete reverse of the first. The Redskins took the ball and marched 60 yards for the first score. Chick Ardis landed the ball on the 45. Joe Lukens then took a pass from center, and carried the ball to the 2-yard line. 'Inky' Schnieder then moved within 12 inches of the goal. The Falcons felt the full force of the Lukens' running power, as the Redskin Captain smashed the Falls line to register the first goal. 'Chick' Ardis Scores

In the beginning of the last quarter, with Richard Frutchey handling the quarterback position, the locals scored again. Richard Lukens intercepted a Falls pass, and put the ball on the 50-yard line. 'Inky' Schnieder, 'Chick' Ardis, and Joe Lukens made four successive first downs, and put the Pigskin on the Falls' 8-yard line. Lukens drove to the 4-yard line, and 'Chick' Ardis hit paydirt on an end run. The score then stood at 13-12, with the Redskins still trailing. The Falcons tried in vain to set up an aerial attack, and once again the Playwickians began to unleash their running power. 'Inky' Schnieder went through tackle for 22 yards, Lukens traveled to the 30, and Frutchey battled his way to the 27 for a first down. With time running short, Joe Lukens passed to Ira Romberger. The pass was incomplete, but the Falcons were penalized for interference of the receiver, and the ball rested on Fallsington's 12-yard line. In the very last seconds of the game Schnieder received a pass from Lukens, shook off three Fallsington tacklers, and dived across the double stripe to win the game.

The surprisingly powerful Falls aerial attack was almost the downfall of the Redskins. Norman White, the Fallsington triple threat man, completed eleven forward passes; two of these accounted for touchdowns.

#### Lineups:

Langhorne (19)		Fallsington (13)
Squyres	LE	Slaymaker
Haman	LT	H. Kellett
Kaleda	LG	Thompson
E. Lukens	C	Cutchineal
Taylor	RG	J. Kellett
Haines	RT	Kish
Adair	RE	S. Taylor
Caldwell	QB	DiNatie
Schnieder	LH	Bauer
Ardis	RH	Ellis
J. Lukens	FB	White

Team scoring:  
Langhorne 0 0 6 13—19  
Fallsington 13 0 0 0—13

Touchdowns: Langhorne—Lukens, Ardis, Schnieder. Extra points, Schnieder. Fallsington—DiNatie, 2. Extra points, White.

## TWO WINNING STREAKS AT STAKE HERE TOMORROW WHEN LANGHORNE ELEVEN WILL OPPOSE HIGH SCHOOL BUNNIES

Two winning streaks will be at stake tomorrow afternoon on the high school field as Bristol plays its annual Lower Bucks County League game with Langhorne. Opening kickoff will take place at two o'clock.

The Bunnies are in possession of a consecutive win streak which has reached four straight, while the Langhorne eleven has won three straight. The Redskins are undefeated, while Bristol lost its opening game to Trenton Catholic.

Coach Harold Stackhouse's boys have amassed a total of 107 points against their foes, while they have had 40 scored against them. In three games, Langhorne has scored 32 counters and has had seven scored against it. In the last four games the opposing teams of Bristol have only been permitted one first down each.

Langhorne comes here with a fine passing attack which features Wayne Schneider and Joe Lukens. Both of these youngsters are well known to the sport fans of this section. Schneider is a baseball pitcher in this section, and can toss a football as well as he throws the horsehide. On the receiving end of most of his passes is Lukens, who also played baseball here, and fans claim that when he catches a forward pass it is in real college style—those one-handed catches.

Whether the Langhorne passing attack can cope with the Bristol offensive remains to be seen. Coach Stackhouse seems to come up with more plays in each game, and appears to know the weakness of all teams on the Bristol schedule. He has drilled his proteges in several news plays which will be on exhibit for the first time tomorrow.

A Bristol victory will assure the Bunnies of at least a tie in the Lower Bucks setup, as they hold the league lead by a victory in the only game played thus far.

While Langhorne is paying Bristol a visit, the Morrisville Bulldogs will be at Cornwells Heights, meeting the Bensalem Owls in another Lower Bucks fracas.

## Pigskin Chatter

By Ira Romberger

The Red and Blue bounced back into the winning column last Saturday by defeating Fallsington 19-13. It was the Redskins' fourth win of the season.

"Inky" Schnieder was the acclaimed hero of the game. Lukens dropped the ball in his hands, and "Inky" carried three Falls tacklers across the goal line with him.

We wonder if Mike DiRisi will ever get over this. The Redskins give his team a 13-0 head start and they still can't win. Well, better luck in baseball season, Mike.

This week we expect Langhorne to tame the Morrisville Bulldog. Six years of defeatism is too much. If the locals play as they did last week, the Bulldogs will have plenty of trouble.

George School plays Cheltenham this week. It will really be a sad affair. The Quaker gridmen have really hit a slump. The game should go Cheltenham's way, with about 30 points thrown in.

## Langhorne High Host to Morrisville

Sporting one of the best mid-season records ever possessed by a Redskin eleven, Langhorne's flashy Messicmen will move in opposition to the powerful Morrisville Bulldogs on Playwick field this Saturday.

Last week Langhorne came from behind to beat a pass crazy Falls eleven, and Morrisville traveled to Upper Moreland to win their third in a row.

Although the Redskins have a better scoring record, the Bulldogs are expected to turn the tables on the locals. The Hoffman team has already won one lower Bucks league game, and are gunning for a second.

To date the locals have beaten Morrisville only once. I believe it was in 1938 when "Chuck" Klein kicked an extra point, and won the game 7-6. Since then, the Redskins have suffered six straight defeats from the Morrisville team.

Coach Messics is depending on his versatile backfield to outrun, and out-pass their opponents. If the Redskin forward wall is up to par, they'll be the center of the Langhorne offense. Joe Lukens, the Langhorne "powerhouse," will be in the fullback position. Ardis, Schnieder, and Caldwell will round out the Redskin ball handling unit.

Joe Cummings will mark time for the Bulldogs, with Dansbury, Zack, and Banko in assistance. The Bulldogs will undoubtedly feature their aerial offensive which caused the fall of Bordentown and Bensalem. The Dansbury to Banko combination will be a real threat to the Messicmen.

#### Starting lineups:

Morrisville		Langhorne
Wolf	LE	Hitchner
Farkas	LT	Haines
Boodley	LG	Taylor
Swanson	C	R. Lukens
Summers	RG	Kaleda
Cochrane	RT	Haman
Baehr	RE	Adair
Banko	QB	Caldwell
Zack	LH	Ardis
Cummings	RH	Schnieder
Dansbury	FB	J. Lukens

## Redskin Chatter

By "Stu" James

After witnessing the Langhorne-George School grid battle, I am thoroughly convinced that the Red and Blue eleven will hold its own against any opposition they may encounter this season.

The startling thing happened when Bill Bonham, substitute guard intercepted a Georgian pass. Bonham, upon being questioned after the game said, "Gosh, I was so surprised I just couldn't run."

The Langhorne boys just had to do something to cheer up Coach Messics. His old Alma Mater, Temple University, was swamped by Holy Cross 30 to 0 last Friday.

Lukens and Schneider had a swell time blasting the Georgian defensives to pieces. Adair and Hitchner played as ends should play, blocking passes, busting up plays and making beautiful tackles.